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In extended conversation today with DCM, Foreign Minister clarified that what has in mind is presentation evidence Castro subversion to OAS as soon as it is prepared if US agrees. Was assured that US would welcome early presentation. Procedure contemplated by Venezuela seemed appeal to Foreign Minister. Agreed consider similar approach. Foreign Minister much preoccupied with question what steps should be taken deal with problem Castro subversion which he anticipates will continue even if Soviet military bases eliminated completely. Foresees need for additional action by OAS, perhaps even invocation Rio Treaty in all out effort as suggested EMBTEL 673. Recognize this not time press for additional measures, but would appreciate US thinking and guidance in future. Said was in touch with Venezuelan Foreign Minister, with whom spoke by telephone in New York this morning, and that their views on need for further action at appropriate time coincided.

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